



SENIOR & LONG TERM CARE DIVISION COMMUNITY SERVICES BUREAU

HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED WAIVER Policy Manual

Section: SERVICES

Subject: Non-Medical Transportation

References: ARM: 37.40.1488

DEFINITION

Transportation means travel furnished by common carrier or private vehicle for **non-medical** reasons as defined in the individual plan of care. Medical transportation is available under the State Plan Medicaid Program. To obtain prior authorization for State Plan Medicaid Transportation services call 1-800-292-7114.

SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

Transportation services must meet the following criteria:

1. Be provided only after volunteer, State Plan or other publicly funded transportation programs have been exhausted or determined to be inappropriate; and
2. Be provided by the most cost effective mode.

Transportation providers must provide proof of:

1. A valid Montana driver's license;
2. Adequate automobile insurance; and
3. Assurance that vehicle is in compliance with all federal, state and local laws and regulations.

LIMITATIONS

This service may not be used simultaneously with other waiver services that include transportation as an integral part of their rate.